

Chap. 51 RESOLVE IN RELATION TO A REFORMATORY FOR MALE PRISONERS.Reformatory for
male prisoners.

Resolved, That the commissioners of prisons be directed to investigate the subject of establishing a reformatory for male prisoners, in some institution now existing in the state, to suggest a plan for the organization of the same, and to report the result of their investigations with estimates of cost, to the legislature at the next annual session.

Approved April 30, 1881.

Chap. 52 RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF THE SALEM NORMAL SCHOOL.Salem normal
school.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth a sum not exceeding six thousand dollars, for heating and ventilating the state normal schoolhouse at Salem; and that said sum be expended under the direction of the board of education.

Approved April 30, 1881.

Chap. 53 RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF ANDREW J. WATERMAN.Andrew J.
Waterman.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth to Andrew J. Waterman, the sum of five hundred dollars, for services as register of probate and insolvency of Berkshire County, from the sixteenth day of November in the year eighteen hundred and eighty to the fifteenth day of April in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-one.

Approved April 30, 1881.

Chap. 54 RESOLVE CONFIRMING THE ACTS OF THOMAS FLATLEY AS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.Acts done as
justice of the
peace, con-
firmed.

Resolved, That all acts done by Thomas Flatley as a justice of the peace for the Commonwealth, since the twenty-fifth day of October in the year eighteen hundred and eighty, are hereby made valid and confirmed to the same extent as though he had been during that time qualified to discharge the duties of said office.

Approved May 6, 1881.

Chap. 55 RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF THE COMMISSIONERS ON CONTAGIOUS DISEASES AMONG CATTLE.Contagious
diseases among
cattle.

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the cattle commissioners for the purpose of exterminating contagious diseases in the state, among horses and cattle.

Approved May 6, 1881.